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In re Ap	pplication of)	Confirmation No.: 4456
	Wei Li, et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2166
Applica	ation No. 10/643,629)	Examiner: Mohammad Ali
Filed: A	August 18, 2003)	
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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION WITH AMENDMENT

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 8, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until April 9, 2007, as April 8, 2007, is a Sunday. Please reconsider the subject application in light of the amendments and remarks herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.